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### LEAT AND OATS HE OUTLOOK

SOME FACTORS OF SUCCESSFUL SMALL GRAIN PRODUCTION IN SOUTHERN STATES.

C. A. Whittle, Southern Soll Improvement Committee.

Wheat is too closely related to human hunger ever to suffer a serious slump in demand. At this time the great wheat producing areas of Europe give no signs of getting immedistely back to normal production. Sovist Russia, the greatest of all, offers no signs of growing wheat beyond-if even equal to-the needs of Russia.

Roumania, Austria, Hungary and the Balkans are so depleted in men and means, and so disturbed with war and international politics, as to grow not even enough small grain for their own hungry and starving millions. Other leading European countries are importers and not exporters of grain. The Americas will, therefore, be the hope of Europe's bread. In fact, the demand will continue to be very urg-

LABOR-The labor requirements per acre of wheat is less, of course, than for cultivated crops. Where labor's scarce wheat and oats are, therefore, to be looked upon with favor. But the labor problem involved in producing wheat will not be complete-

ly solved unless the farmer goes in for iarge yields per acre. It requires no more preparation, and seed, to grow a big crop of wheat than a small one. Therefore, the intelligent farmer will look well to his soil treatment so that maximum yields may be made at a minimum cost per bushel. Farm labor is too expensive to neglect this precau-

PREPARATION-Wheat and Oats do best on upland soils. The stiffer, firmer soils are preferred. But it does act pay to sow these crops on eroded, thin soiled slopes. If the crop is to tollow cotton, corn or other cultivated crop; the soil may be disked. Deep breaking is not necessary. After drilling in the seed, the soil may be firmed and smoothed with a roller.

FERTILIZATION-Intelligent fertil tration will pay on wheat and oats. Fertilizers will create a good root development and thus protect the plant against winter-killing; they will hasten the growth of wheat that has been sown late on account of the Hessian fly; it will increase stooling or tiller-ing, and make plumper grain and full-er heads; and well-fed plants are also more resistant to rust and other dis-

An application of nitrogen in late winter or early spring will prove very helpful in giving the grain crops a vigprous new start.

GOOD SEED-A variety of wheat may be good, but the germinating power of the seed poor. A farmer should give more attention to his wheat and oat seed. He should find out their yielding record. Different strains of a variety will have different yielding ability. Get only the best-

Good seed includes clean seed. Make them smut-free by a dip into blue stone. Use only the varieties that have rust resistance power.

Farmers of the cotton belt would do well to go into the growing of cereals on a broader scale. Small grains fit in with a well arranged crop rotation They provide necessities, and thereby add to the independence of the farmer and to his power to conserve the remrns from his money crops.

BENEFITS OF RYE AS A WINTER COVER CROP.

Southern soils are much in need of organic matter or humus. An excel ient opportunity for providing it is al torded by rye sown in the fall and turned under in the spring. Not only will it increase the organic contents of the soil, but it will conserve plant food and increase the yields of sub sequent crops. It uses nitrogen tha would have leached out and would have been lost during the fall and winter It also utilizes the phosphoric acid and potash that becomes soluble during the winter. All these and ther elements of plant food go into the ground with the spring plowing and will be releas ed for the subsequent crops. Winter legumes are excellent where

they can be grown with success, but it is much easier to get a stand of rye on all kinds of soils and under vari ous climatic conditions. Rye is in fact the most depridable crop for poor soils, and it is the poor soil, of course, which needs a winter-crop

Mistakes are sometimes made in a failure to plow under rye at the right time. If the spring is dry it should be turned under early, no matter what its stage of growth is. The danger. of course, is that rye will pump out too much soil moisture, rendering the soil hard and lumpy when plowed and and best in the two famous giving the following crop a poor show. If the spring is wet or normal, of course, the rye should be allowed to grow as long as possible, since it will

be adding benefits to the soil. Rye being such a good soil helpe. ought to be given a better show that is usually accorded it. The seed bet should be well prepared and fertilizer should be applied, to both of which makes ready response.

# AUCTION

Sale At Monoville, Smith County Jenn.

## SATURDAY, OCTOBER 9

At 10:30 A. M., we will sell to the highest and best bidder A 70-Acre Farm Belonging to T. H. Key.

This farm adjoins the thrifty little village of Monoville, and on that account we have divided it into ten different tracts. They will be sold separately and then as a whole, the best price terminating a sale. There are five town lots of medium size, two of them suitable for dwellings, and the others splendid business lots. One already has a garage and blacksmith shop on it, the other 5 are acreage lots, running 91 to 19 acres each. Lot No. 4 contains 111 acres and has a nice 4-room house; one barn, 30x40, and has good spring and cistern on it. Most all this farm was at one time in cultivation, but has been sown to bluegrass for several years, and is now considered a fine grass farm.

Monoville is a thriving little town and offers inducements that a great many little towns of its size can't offer: First, it is located on the main turnpike running from Carthage to Hartsville (no toll gates); gets more road bond money than any district in the county, and directly on the main outlet leading from Peyton's creek to Macon county and Defeated creek and Jackson county; besides getting the benefit of very fine school; two churches; three good stores, and one of the best stands for a good repair garage in the county-located just right to catch the trade; this is also a good opening for a blacksmith.

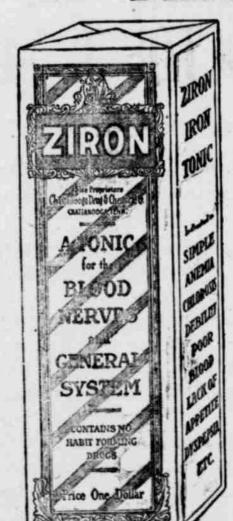
We will also sell on the same day all garage tools and accessories; a lot of blacksmith tools; also live stock, consisting of cattle, horses, sheep and some good milk cows.

Everybody come and bring somebody with you. There will be plenty of barbecue and refreshments served by the Monville school. Will furnish you with plenty of music and give away \$50 in money and presents. Mr. Key will also give a \$10 gold piece to the one guessing nearest to what the farm will bring. Terms made known on the day of the sale

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